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VOL. 13, NUMBER 280 MONESSEN, PA., SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1915 SIX CENTS THE WEEK

## SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS TEACHERS FOR THE YEAR

The school board met last night and concluded arrangements for commencement exercises, elected a full corps of teachers and transacted other business. The new High school will be dedicated Tuesday, June first with appropriate ceremonies. Wednesday evening, June second the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered, Thursday, June third, the graduating exercises will take place, and Friday, June fourth, the school picnic will take place at Eldora park. Following is the full corps of teachers chosen last night.

Nathan H. Phillips, principal High school, R. W. Davies, Music, S. B. Schrontz, principal Junior High school, Anna K. Kingsley, English, Sarah F. Baker, Latin, Olive A. Malone, history, Andrew J. White, Edna M. Reitz, German, High school, H. S Robinson, Helen P. Bowman, James Killius, Beatrice Hanlon, Nora Snyder, Clara Allen, Charlotte Edmundson, Jennie Baker, Blanche Brightwell, Clara G. Cooper, Elizabeth Cunningham, Agnes Birkinsha, Mary Gregg, Elsie Richards, Mary Barnum, Sara B. Kelly, Edna Long, Alpharetta Gregg, Anna Currie, Carrie Shutterly, Anna Cameron, Beatrice Melick, Ethel Hamilton, Elizabeth Mitchell, Bessie Smith, Erda Schindley, Bessie Bake, Anna Blackey, Bessie Rankin, Sara Shutterly, Clara Mitchell, Myrtle Clendenon, Mary Cornwall, Alice Latta, Jean Hurt, Novelia O'Reilly, Nina Todd, May E. Sterley, Violet Sanderson, Nannetta Shannon, Florence Craig, Helen M. Sampson, Grace McClary, Elsie Bumer, Elton Martz, Regina Conway, Margaret Gilchrist, Eleanor Butler, Lorena Williams, Beila Geho, Frances Glenn, Frances McKee. Eleanor Sterling, Catherine Brightwell, Lou E. Boore, Lena Alice Spence, Elizabeth Snowden, Florence R. Keys, Annabell McClure, Maurice E. Bennett.

Additional teachers elected were: Bert DeBoer, commercial department High school, Clark E. McClellan, mathematics, Charles M. Helwig, manual training, Stewart S. Townsend, physical director, Lu M. Hartman, domestic science, Emma Tobin, Vera M. Frost, Frances Mellinger, Jane Johnston, Iva Pfeifer, librarian, Pearl Chalfant, Jean Hoge, Margaret Bruce, Georgia E. Price, Ellen J. Easton, Rizpah Maxwell, Mary C. Baker, Helen U. Morrow, drawing three days per week, Eliza Riley, Annie Davis.

### PITTSBURGH PHOTO PLAY TO BE SHOWN AT THE OLYMPIC

The residents of this section will have the opportunity on Tuesday, May 11 of seeing the real "Made in Pittsburgh" photo play, "A Pittsburgh Romance." This play was written, staged and played by prominent Pittsburghers. The suffrage scene has all the leading club women of the Smoky City taking a part in the film and among these are Mrs. Roessing, Mrs. J. O. Miller, Mrs. John Armstrong, Miss M. O. Hays and others.

It will be shown at the Olympic, Monessen and a large crowd is expected for this interesting playlet.

—Fresh strawberry ice cream with fresh fruit at Kirk's fountains

### SOUTH GOING AFTER THE FOREIGN TRADE

Atlanta, Ga, May 8—The first trade envoy from the southern states to go after business in South America sails today for Beunos Aires. Charles L. Chandler, formerly in the consular service in South American countries has been sent by the Southern railway and various firms of Atlanta to tour the business centers of South America to influence traders there to purchase from the southern states. Mr. Chandler will be officially received by nearly all the governments in South America.

—Kodaks and Supplies at Kirk's drug stores.

—High class vaudeville at the Star theatre, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. 75-4t fp

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## New Trial Will Be Asked In The Hunter Case

Dr. W. D. Hunter is dissatisfied with the verdict accorded him in his damage suit against the borough and has instructed his attorneys to prepare papers for a new trial. If a new trial is refused, the doctor says it will be taken to higher courts. Dr. Hunter looks upon the verdict as a miscarriage of justice and will seek redress either in a new trial or a higher court.

The verdict as reported in yesterday's paper was not correct in its entirety. The damage awarded the doctor was $250.00, instead of $300.00, and the costs were placed on the borough of Monessen instead of on the plaintiff as was stated. The papers for a new trial are now being prepared and will be presented to court at the earliest possible time and if a new trial is granted, the case will likely come up in the August term of court.

## MOTHERS' DAY IS CELEBRATED SUNDAY

Tomorrow, the second Sunday in May will be observed throughout all civilized nations as "Mother's Day." Ever since President Wilson issued last year the first national "Mother's Day" proclamation, the idea has been taken up officially by many countries, and tomorrow the mothers, past and present, will be universally remembered.

The day is observed by showing, through some distinct act of kindness, a visit, a letter, a gift or tribute, remembrance of the mother and father to whom affection is due. Mother's Day is equally a Father's Day, and is designed to deepen and perpetuate all family ties.

The wearing of a white carnation is the outward form of showing recognition of the day. Churches of all denominations take up the theme, and motherhood is placed on the high pedestal where by right it should always remain.

## ENTERPRISE EDITOR IS HIGHLY JOVIAL

Editor L. M. Truxal of the Belle Vernon Enterprise, is hitting the high places as a result of the return of prosperity and waxes humorous when he remarks that the fellow who owed five bones on a subscription dropped into the office and paid up in full. What a wonderful revelation, and is it any wonder that an editor should rejoice and begin at once planning his summer vacation. Before dropping into the Enterprise office, this man had likely paid the grocer, the butcher, the saloon keeper, the barber, the drug store, the clothier and a lot of others clean down to the doctor, and after squaring with the doctor, paid his subscription to the paper, the last on the list always.

Now "Trux" pack your suitcase and hike. Beat it far back over the Berkshire hills and have a good time, for a man who gets five dollars on a back subscription can certainly afford to blow himself. Oh would that they would flock this way in vast hordes

## Floating Debt Of The Borough To Be Taken Up

The regular monthly meeting of council which was postponed from Wednesday night on account of the Hunter damage suit was held last night with all members present. The seat of C S. Shrader was declared vacant by an official act, but the place has not yet been filled.

R. T. Dale was again chosen temporary chairman. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved. The bills were paid. Bids were opened for the fire truck. They were submitted from several companies. The Packard bid $5,710.60, Seagrans, $5.900, Carting Bros., $5,800. LaFrance, $5,800 and $7,000, Vulcan. $5,00, Jas. Boyd. $4,600. The council will meet as a committee of the whole May 17 to go over the bids and make a decision. Each representative was given five minutes last night to explain his machine.

A representative of the plumbers' union was before council acking that the town appoint a plumbing inspector so that all plumbing work done in the town comes up to the requirements. The matter was referred to the sanitary committee.

Steve Gaspack appeared to complain about a river coming down over the hill on Highland avenue through his hesidence property. He will get relief.

Louis Larguire was present to ask what council intends to do about his case. He was again told that the bridge should be left in tact.

L. P. Carter was present to ask council to keep the health officer from interfering with his business. The complaint was referred to the sanitary committee.

The tax collector turned over $2.200 taxes. The streets and roads committee asked that Chestnut street be put into better condition and that Braddock avenue be graded and lowered.

A New York firm agrees to take up the floating debt of the borough at four and one half per cent. and take municipal notes. The proposition was accepted. Council adjoruned to meet at the call of the chairman.

Have your U. S. A. coupons for souvenir spoons redeemed at the N. W. Schlup Co. store Saturday, sure 1,000 additional spoons just received. 79-2t

—Free: Free:—Every Wednesday to the person holding the lucky coupon, a pair of handsome hand painted vases absolutely free at the Bijou. 80-tf

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Tomorrow we offer some exceptional U. S. A. specials. Don't forget to redeem your souvenir coupous and with each dollar purchase you receive a spoon, so secure a set.

96c Children's gingham Dresses. sizes 6 to 14, special selection, regular $1.00 to $1.50 value, only ........ 96c

89c Boy's Wash Suits just arrived for our U. S. A. Special, sizes 2 to 7, regular $1.00 value, Saturday ........ 89c

95c Ladies' Summer Waists. Belgium stripe and plain white, regular $1.19 to $1.39 values, U. S. A. Special, only ........ 95c

1.49 Children's Coats. sizes 2 to 7 years old, plain and fancy, regular $2.50 and $3.00 value, U. S. A. Special ........ $1.49

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Boys' Wash Suits only 39c each.

Children's Rompers, 19c to 50c each.

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## MONESSEN PEOPLE WERE ON ILL-FATED STEAMER

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Agnew. Monessen people were on the ill fated Lusitania when she was sent to the bottom of the ocean by the German submarine, and the gravest fears are entertained by friends here for their safety. No word has been received here by anyone since the sinking of the steamer that will indicatte whether or not the local people are among the persons saved. The Cunard company, owner of the steamer, reports 2,000 pasengers aboard and the latest reports indicate that about one half tha number went to the bottom of the ocean and were lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Agnew left Monessen, April 30 on the noon train for New York, and sailed from New York one week ago today at 2 o'clock on the Lusitania and went as steerage passengers. The latest Cunard reports indicate that there are more of the steerage passengers saved than those on first class and this gives friends here hopes for their safety.

Mr. and Mrs. Agnew expected to arriveat Bally Mona, County Antrum, Ireland where they expected to remain for a time, this being their former home. Samuel Proudfoot of Pricedale, was also on this steamer, having purchased his ticket from A. Tanzer. No word has been received from him.

Although information from Ireland allowed to be made public has been entirely fragmentary, little by little it is becoming known that either by an external or internal explosion, perhaps by both, the giant ship was blown almost apart off old Head of Kinsale. A double explosion is mentioned because there is a theory advanced that the external explosion of a great torpedo smashed into the ship without warning by the submarine, caused by an interior explosion. This may have been in some nest of boilers, or it may have been among explosives in the cargo. The wounded who are going to the Naval hospital and the dead who were brought ashore, indicate that there was enormous havoc in the interior of the vessel. This may have been in the fire room or in the engine room.

The Lusitania was one of the largest of transatlantic liners, as well as one of the speediest. She was built in Glasgow in 1905. She was 785 feet long, 88 feet beam tonnage and was 60 feet deep. Her gross tonage was 32,500 and her net tonnage 9,145. She was owned by the Cunard Steamship Comptny Ltd., of Liverpool. Her captain was W. T. Turner.

Official announcement was made last evening that the Lusitania had remained afloat at least 20 minutes after being torpedoed. and that "20 boats were on the spot at the time." Twenty boats on the spot belonged to the Lusitania. The 16 other boats were sent to the scene from nearby points.

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Today "The War of Wild" in two reels, thrilling and instructive. "When War Threatened" a one reel Joker. "Rex Rosselli," a one reel Vitagraph drama. "The Girl at Nolans" a one reel Vitagraph and the Animated Weekly, containing the latest ~~weekly news, including that of the~~ thrilling and destructive European war. There are so many points and places that you would not be able to see if you were a Rockefeller, that you see in the Animated Weekly.

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## Doings in Police Court this A. M.

Mike Retser of Twelfth street, was charged before the burgess this morning with burning garbage in a vacant lot at the corner of Ninth and Donner avenue, information being made by health officer Clendenon. On account of it being the first offense committed by the prisoner, he was discharged with the warning that if it happened again he would be fined to the full extent of the law.

Andy Lukretas of Schoonmaker avenue, was the next prisoner. The lad is only nine years old, and was a pitiful sight. Andy was charged with being a runaway and was picked up by the police at 5:25 this morning. The boy had not been at home last night. He said he was afraid that his mother would whip him as she had told him not to go away. The burgess asked the lad if he was allowed to go home if he would behave, and he promised to do so and was released.

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## The Naturalized Citizen

The reception to be tendered to four thousand newly naturalized citizens at Convention hall, Philadelphia, next Monday night, says the Press of that city, will inaugurate a unique and entirely praiseworthy practice. The process of transforming aliens into full fledged citizens of the United States is necessarily perfunctory. In view of the large number of applicants and the limited time at the Court's disposal, little care can be done beyond asking the usual questions and ascertaining whether the applicant's papers are in order. But such business-like precision, necessary as it may be, is not calculated to impress the prospective citizen with the dignity and importance of his new political status.

The average alien in renouncing his allegiance to his former sovereign and taking the oath of citizenship probably realizes that he is taking a serious step. Whether he does so out of conscientious convictions or for the selfish motive of securing the superior rights of American citizenship, he is bound to consider the day of his naturalization an exceedingly important day of his life. Nothing is more likely to belittle the privileges of citizenship in his eyes than the apparently easy manner by which it is obtained and the impersonal rapidity with which the courts award the same privileges to hundreds of other applicants in a single day.

Bring the same alien to a reception; have him talked to by the Mayor of his city, by other prominent men in public life and, perhaps by the President himself; have him welcomed in warm. cordial language; have him instructed as to his new rights and warned as to his new duties and he is likely to revise his judgment as to the importance of citizenship. He will appreciate the personal interest taken in him; he will feel a closer bond between him and his newly chosen country and in his mind the impression will abide that naturalization is not mere red tape, but something graver, something infinitely more to be cherished.

## People Should Know

The Duquesne Times Observer says: "A situation developed at the meeting of the borough council last Monday evening that gave evidence of the need of a new rule as regards the publication of all ordinances that come before that body. An ordinance has been amended by the ordinance committee, but the members of council did not have before them a copy of the original ordinance, and, for that reason, could not intelligently pass judgment, on the amended section. The same thing has occurred before and misunderstandings have arisen because of that fact.

"But that is not all. The tax payers of the town, other than the members of council, have little or no idea of the contents of many of the ordinances until after they have been passed, and then it is too late to enter a protest if they be unsatisfactory or if they impose unnecessary burdens. And surely the citizens who must foot the bill, have a right to know what bills are before council and what their provisions may be. Under the present arrangement, the ordinances are published in the official paper only after they have passed finally and have been approved by the burgess. The suggestion therefore is made that all ordinances be published when they are introduced, so that if they should contain anything that is not in keeping with the desires of the people, the latter may have an opportunity to file their objections before the bills are enacted into a law. They should, also, be published following their passage, to the end that the people may know something of that form in which they have been enacted."

## Bank Statement

No. 5956

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK, AT MONESSEN, IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, May 1, 1915.

RESOURCES.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | | | $ 529,480.95 |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | | | 12.70 |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | | $50,000 00 | 50,000.01 |
| Other bonds pledged to secure postal savings | | 15,000.00 | |
| Bonds, securities, etc., pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (U. S. postal savings excluded) | | 5,000 00 | |
| Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same | | 61,850.00 | 81,850.00 |
| Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank | $7,500.00 | | |
| Less amount unpaid | 3,750 00 | 3,750.00 | |
| All other stocks, including premium on same | | 6,250.00 | 10,000.00 |
| Banking House, $32,227.92; furniture and fixtures, $8,082.67 | | | 40,310.59 |
| Other real estate owned | | | 1,380.00 |
| Due from Federal Reserve Bank | | | 10,000.00 |
| Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities | | 1,720 37 | |
| Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities | | 64 678.23 | 66,398.60 |
| Outside checks and other cash items, $1,327.93, fractional currency, nickels and cents, $ 60 40 | | | 1,388.33 |
| Notes of other national banks | | | 30 00 |
| Lawful money reserve in bank: Specie | | 12,781 80 | |
| Legal-tender notes | | 7,050.00 | 19,831.80 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent circulation) | | | 2,500.00 |
| Total | | | $ 813 182.98 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | | $ 100,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | | 25,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | $15,260 48 | | |
| Reserved for taxes | 3,865 33 | | |
| Reserved for | | $19,126 27 | |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid | | 4,324 50 | 14,801.77 |
| Circulating notes | | | 50,000 00 |
| Dividends unpaid | | | 24.00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | | 275,750.25 | |
| Certificates of deposits due in less than 30 days | | 14,050 00 | |
| Certified checks | | 421 87 | |
| Postal savings deposits | | 10,099.44 | |
| State, county or other municipal deposits secured by item 8 of "Resources" | | 5,040.55 | |
| Deposits requiring notice of less than 30 days | | 75,560.75 | 380,922.66 |
| Certificates of deposits due on or after 30 days | | 28,125 25 | |
| State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 41 of "Resources" | | | 241,974 55 |
| Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice | | 213,849.30 | |
| Liabilities other than those above stated | | | 460.00 |
| Total | | | $ 813,182 98 |

State of Pennsylvania, County of Westmoreland, SS

I, Jesse Hancock, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JESSE HANCOCK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May, 1915

Eli H. Wolf, Notary Public.

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No. 5253

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RESOURCES

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | | $ 371,230,30 | 371,230 30 |
| Overdrafts unsecured | $672.55 | | 672 55 |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | | 50,000.00 | 50,000.00 |
| Other bonds pledged to secure postal savings | | 17,000 00 | |
| Bonds, securities, etc., pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (U. S postal savings excluded) | | 10,000 00 | |
| Other bonds, securities, etc, owned unpledged (other than stocks,) including premiums on same | | 19,000 00 | 46,000.00 |
| Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank | $6,600.00 | | |
| Less amount unpaid | 4,400.00 | 2,200 00 | |
| All other stocks, including premium on same | | 2,000 00 | 4 200.00 |
| Banking house, $49,500 00; furniture and fixtures, $6,132.00 | | | 55,632 00 |
| Due from Federal Reserve bank | | | 7,462.04 |
| Due from appoved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis | | 1,582.38 | |
| Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities | | 38,419 02 | 40,001.40 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | | 17.59 |
| Outside checks and other cash items, $437.57; fractional currency, nickels and cents, $214 44 | | | 652.01 |
| Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank | | | 933.48 |
| Notes of other national banks | | | 7,360.00 |
| Federal Reserve notes | | | 1,550.00 |
| Lawful money reserve in bank: Total coin and certificates | | | 22 499.40 |
| Legal-tender notes | | | 7,175 00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5% on circulation | | 2,500.00 | 2,500.00 |
| Total | | | $ 617,885.77 |

LIABILITIES

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|---|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | | $ 50,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | | | 60,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | $19,717.77 | $19,717.77 | |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid | | 4,605 27 | 15 112.50 |
| Circulating notes | | 49,997 50 | 49 997 50 |
| Due to banks and bankers | | | 2,505.41 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | | 128,090 87 | |
| Certified checks | | 514.55 | |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | | 9,711 20 | |
| Postal Savings deposits | | 9,124 83 | |
| State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 8 of "Resources" | | 26,893 33 | |
| Deposits requiring notice of less than 30 days | | 39,271.50 | 213,606 24 |
| Certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days | | 6,752.69 | |
| Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice | | 219,911 43 | 226,664 12 |
| Total | | | $ 617,885.77 |

State of Pennsylvania, County of Westmoreland, SS:

I, A. E. Thomas, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. E THOMAS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of May, 1915.

Frank Bumer, Notary Public. Com. expires Feb. 12, 1917.

Correct—Attest:

A. R. WILSON
C. W. GREER
E. M. FRYE
Directors.

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| 4 rooms and bath, corner Schoonmaker avenue and Sixth street, water furnished | $22.50 |
| 6 rooms and bath on Schoonmaker avenue, between Second and Third St., water furnished | $25.00 |
| 4 rooms and bath on Donner avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets, water furnished | $20.00 |
| 6 rooms and bath, corner Donner avenue and First street, water furnished | $18.00 |
| 4 rooms and bath, corner Schoonmaker avenue and Sixth street, water furnished | $22.50 |
| 7 rooms and bath on Donner avenue, between Second and Third streets | $30.00 |

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### FOOD INSPECTION DECISION

On June 30. 1907 a hearing was held before the Secretary of Agriculture on the labeling of Wines. The Board rendered an opinion that the term "wine" is an appropriate name solely for the product made from the normal alcoholic fermentation of the juice of sound ripe grapes, without addition or abstraction of any substance whatever.

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### TWO BROTHERS IN BITTER FIGHT FOR MILLIONS

Washington, D. C., May 8—A renewal of the bitter fight between two brothers over the millions left by their father, Stilson Hutchins, newspaper publisher of Washington, is foreseen in the announcement that a new trial would be asked today of Justice Anderson. The will of the late publisher was broken by a jury on April 24, after a bitter contest that began in November. The verdict favored the younger son, Lee Hutchins, and set aside the provisions of the will of October, 1910, which left the bulk of the $4,000,000 property to the widow, a step mother. The widow and the older son, Walter S. Hutchins defended the will. The widow was averse to legislation, but the enmity of the brothers forced it into court.

### STARTS FREIGHT LINE WITH CAPTURED CRUISER

New Orleans, La., May 8—The Manilla, formerly a Spanish cruiser, which fell a prize to the victorious Admiral Dewey in Manilla Bay in 1898, has been purchased by New Orleans men, who plan to use it in conquering the trade of Latin America for this port. J. Woolworth Strong bought the Manilla from the government at public sale at San Francisco, and is making preparations for starting a new freight line between New Orleans and the Pacific ports of Central America. Two steamers will be operated, and the freight rates will be lowered from $16 to $12 a ton.

United Presbyterian church, Schoonmaker avenue and Eighth street, J. M. Jamieson, pastor—10 a. m. Sabbath school; 11 a. m. "Seven Nuggets of Gold" is the pulpit topic. 6:30 p. m., "Why am I Proud of my denomination." Leader, Mrs. Brady. Union services in the Baptist church at 7:45 o'clock. Mothers Day. Come worship the Lord.

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# CHURCHES

NOTICE—All church notices to insure publication in Saturday's issue must be in this office not later than Friday evening.

First M. E. church, corner of Fourth and Schoonmaker, Rev. A. H. Davies, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30, J. C. F. Motz, superintendent; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Epworth League at 6:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. No preaching Sabbath evening. The congregation will join in the union services at the First Baptist church. All are invited.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, Eighth street near Donner, Dr. C. E. Keller, pastor—Sunday school (Mr. J. B. Smith, Supt.) at 9:45 a. m. Our face is toward the front; come and help us press toward the front. Worship with sermon at 11 a. m., "A New Dawn." with brief prelude, appropriate to the day, No evening service. Jr. Luther League (Miss Myers, Supt.) at 2 p. m. Sr. Luther League (Miss Morris, leader) at 7:15 p. m. Topic, "The Means of Grace." Important. Prayer service Wednesday at 8 p. m. "Subject for pastor's talk by request "Ascension Thoughts." Of course, you will be welcome; do you doubt it? Come and see for yourself. Bring some "down and out" one with you—that is the one to help.

First Presbyterian church, Rev. H. O. MacDonald, minister—Divine worship at 11 a. m., sermon theme, "By Grace are We Saved." There will be no evening services as the congregation will unite with the other churches in a Mother's day union service at the Baptist church. Sabbath school at 9:45, Frank D. Bumbaugh, superintendent. Every member urged to be present and on time. Junior Endeavor at 3:30. Senior Endeavor at 6:45, subject "Why I am Proud of my Denomination." Rev. 3:7-13. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited to meet with us who desires to worship God with us. A cordial welcome awaits you.

First Christian church, Sixth street, near Donner, Rev. J. B. Swain, pastor, residence 444 Reed avenue, phone 240-J. Order of services—Bible school at 9:30, a department for everyone. J. Frank Bowers, superintendent; Lord's Supper observed at 11 a. m.; sermon by the pastor at 11:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. The congregation will unite in the evening in the union service at the Baptist church.

First Baptist church, Schoonmaker avenue, Rev. W. S. Carson, pastor—The following services will be held Sunday: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., divine worship at 11 a. m., B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m. and union services at 7:45. We extend a cordial welcome to our Sunday school classes. You will find a class suitable to your wishes and also a hearty reception at the service. At the morning hour the pastor will preach to the boy scouts who will come in a body. B. Y. P. U. topic "Proud of my Denomination." In the evening there will be a union service of all the churches in connection with "Mother's Day." Rev. A. H. Davies of the M. E. church will preach. It is the intention to give a carnation to everyone attending this service.

First United Brethern church, 475 Reed avenue, Benjamin F. Bungard, minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. George B. Guist, superintendent. Special services for Mothers will begin at 10:35 as follows:

Piano Prelude .. Miss Marion Reamer
Doxology and Invocation
Chorus—Rock of Ages .......... .........Choir and Congregation
Select Reading from the Scripture . .............. Mrs. Daniel Reamer
Quartette—Face to Face .......... Messrs. Shrader, Smallwood, Misses Miller and Beckman.
Prayer ................ Mrs. Dubarr
Song—The Home Over There.... ......... Choir and Congregation
Announcements and Offering
Vocal Solo (Selected) ............ ............... Mrs. Joe Wheatley
Sermon, theme "Blest be the tie that Binds" ............ Rev. Bungard
Prayer .............. Mrs. Alspash
Song, "Jesus Savior Pilot Me" .... .......... Choir and Congregation
Benediction

Note—Persons wishing to have automobiles sent to bring them to this service leave name and address with Rev. Bungard, phone 274-R.

A. M. E. church, Rev. J. E. Morris, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., and preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Preaching at 3 p. m. by Rev. Carson of the First Baptist church. At 8 p. m. there will be a platform meeting and various speeches will be delivered on "Mother." The Rev. Morris has ordered five dozen carnations for his congregation and they can get them Saturday or Sunday at the parsonage. All are welcome to these services.

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## ADMITS PUBLIC FREE TO KENTUCKY DERBY

Louisville, Ky., May 8—The $15,000 Kentucky Derby to be run today at Churchill Downs, and which promises to be the greatest horse race ever run in America, will be a free treat to the public. Despite the great interest which the race has worked up in the world of horsemen, the public will have none of its privileges taken away, and the greater center field will be thrown open. All business is at a standstill in and near Louisville, and a record attendance will view the Derby.

The big stake opens today the 41st annual spring meeting of the new Louisville Jockey club, which runs this year twelve racing days, winding up on Friday, May 21, when the Kentucky Oaks for 3-year old fillies is held. Between these two events, five other stakes will be decided, all of which have long been fixtures. They are the historic Clark Handicap, the Frank Fehr stakes, the Bashford Manor, Debutanto and Juvenile stakes. The program wil provide seven races each day of the meet.

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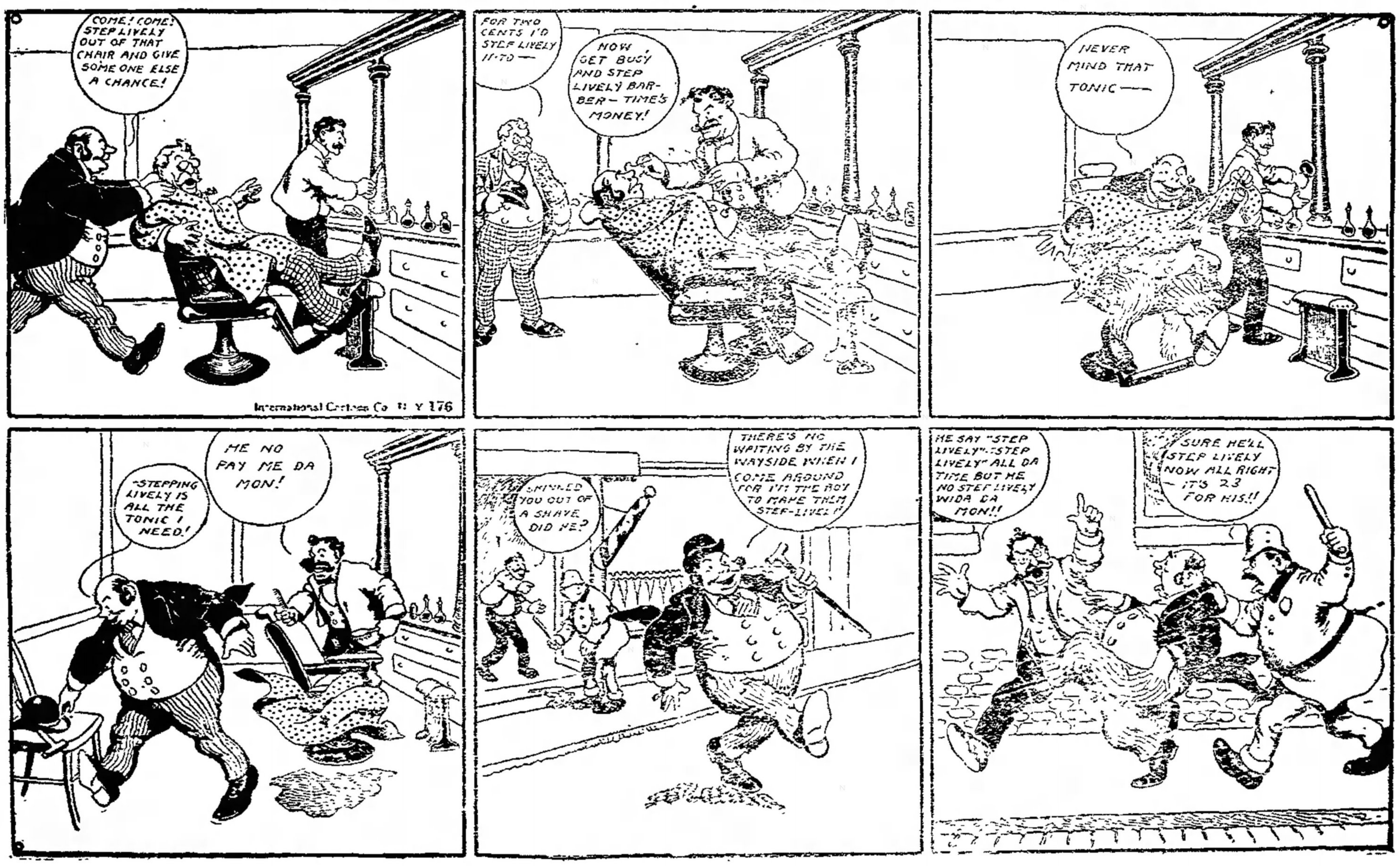
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THERE'S NO WAITING BY THE WAYSIDE WHEN I COME AROUND FOR I'M THE BOY TO MAKE THEM STEP-LIVELY!
HE SAY "STEP LIVELY" "STEP LIVELY" ALL DA TIME BUT ME NO STEP LIVELY WIDA DA MON!!
SURE HE'LL STEP LIVELY NOW ALL RIGHT—IT'S 23 FOR HIS!!

# "YE OLD COUNTRY STORE"

Beyond a doubt the biggest attraction at the Hunter Show grounds this week is "Ye Old Country Store." While it has been most successful in the face of rainy weather, doing business every night and good business several days, yet today and tonight will be the big velvet operations of "Ye Old Country Store."

As all expenses in connection with this enterprise have been paid through the partnerships with the manager and the shows, all that is taken in now will be to the good of the hospital. One of the remarkable and interesting features about this attraction is the fact that the crowds never become tired of it; also those assisting back of the counter return night after night to work.

The best is yet to come with respect to "Ye Old Country Store" as everything will be given away or sold tonight after 8 or 9 o'clock. Novel plans will be invoked to assist the spectators to help the hospital. There will be fun of all kinds, fun of the wholesome kind. The committee is highly pleased with the patronage afforded and wishes to thank the public for its interest.

### OLYMPIC THEATRE

(continued from first page)

Monday—The 7th episode of "The Black Box." This is said to be the best episode so far. Another thrilling and historical drama in three reels is "The Honor of the Ormsbys" a Victor, with Mary Fuller in the leading role.

Tuesday—One of the best comedy days since this theatre started. Again we have an opportunity to see and judge. The two world's greatest comedians, BILLIE RITCHIE in "Poor Policy" and CHARLES CHAPLIN in "Jitney Elopement." We consider it a great honor to Monessen people to see these two great comedians in the same day. 1t

—Mrs. E. B. Sloterbeck was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Coterie club. Fancy work was the order of the afternoon with a guessing contest as a special feature, leading advertisements being used to carry out the scheme. The highest honors were won by Mrs. H. R. Pore who was rewarded with a handsome corsage boquet. A lunch was served.

## BRING "HER"

She will like you better for bringing her to see the enoyable program of the week of May 10th to 15th.

# NOTED MAN

James A. Patten, one of the few men who successfully cornered the grain market, and known far and wide for his financial daring and business strategy, is 63 years old today. "Jimmy" Patten became a grain operator when he was 28, having worked his way from a store clerkship. He at once attracted notice as a live wire in the Chicago grain market. His great coup came in July, 1902, when he cornered the market in oats. This fact, which is said to have netted him a large fortune, is still talked about in financial circles. It recently bobbed again into prominence through a suit filed last November against Patten and others. Two brokers who lost $100,000 through Patten's corners are seeking $300,000 in the federal courts. Interesting financial revelations are expected at the trial.

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—Miss Laura Holtz of Schoonmaker avenue, was a Pittsburgh caller today.

—Drink Amann's Home Roasted Coffee. 79-tf

—Misses Mildred and Ethel McGilvery of Knox avenue are spending the week end with relatives in Donora.

—For corsage—Roses. Sweet Peas, Daisies or Lillies of the Valley for mothers day.—Crall's Flower Shop. 79-2t

—Miss Novelia O'Reilly, a teacehr in the local schools, is spending a few days with her mother in Homestead.

—Buy Amann's Home Roasted Coffee. 79-tf

—Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McMahon of Donner avenue, spent the day in the city.

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—Joseph Murphy and James Callahan of Glassport, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bramley of First street yesterday. The two young men expect to locate here in the near future.

Charley Chaplin in his latest comedy success, "In the Pot" at the Bijou Monday. 1t

—Rev. Dr. Wertheimer, the only converted Jewish rabbi in America will conduct a series of services in the Baptist church beginning Monday, May 17th. During the afternoons of the week he will give chart talks on the Bible. He is one of the best Bible students of the day and the services will undoubedly be pleasing to all.

—The opening of Cuddy and Sbrocco of their new clothing store in the new Giba building was a very delightful success. Many people visited the new place of business and became acquainted with the members of the firm. The store makes a good appearance and gives promise of becoming one of the town's leading business places.

—The Ruth Circle class of the Christian church held their monthly business meeting last night at the home of Miss Elsie Paul on Donner avenue. The evening was spent in music and games after business stransactions. A lunch was served. Those present were Mrs. F. L. Arnold, Misses Grace Falls, Elizabeth Jones, Robbie Williams, Mary Veneri, Alice Furick, Helen Eisenberg, Elsie Paul and Luella Arnold.

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# ASSESSORS ARE VERY BUSY

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On July 20 and 21 they are required to sit at the polling places from 10 o'clock until three, and from six until 9 in the evening to take the party enrollment of voters for the primaries. On August 31 and September 1 they are required to be at the polling places for the purpose of permitting voters not registered to have their names placed on the voting list and to hear obections to names already on the list from being allowed to remain there. Our assessors have received their books and are at work. But every voter ought to see that he is registered in the G. O. P. column so he can help bring back prosperity.

### Natural Choice.

"This is a curious old world. If you have no money you are snubbed—if you have too much you are investigated." "Very true—but I had rather be investigated than snubbed, at that."

# SPORT EVENT OF INTEREST

An event of Saturday, May 15th which promises to attract the attention of the sporting public all along the Monongahela valley is the coming dual field meet between Monessen High school and Monongahela High school. It is the first thing of the kind ever attempted in Monessen and the boys are working hard to make it a success. The list of events includes 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 880yard run, 120 yard hurdles, running broad jump, pole vault, discus throw, shot put and 880 yard relay.

Monongahela boasts of having some of the best runners in the state, but they will have to run on more than their reputation to beat the local lads, who are training hard and hoping to return winners.

In the recent inter-class meet some good marks were made which greatly encouraged the athletes. The final try outs for the meet will be held Monday evening, after which full particulars can be given out concerning the big contest next Saturday. Arrangements are being made to handle a large crowd. Come out and cheer for the home team. Admission 25c.

### In Effective Disguise.

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WANTED—An A No. 1 chauffeur wants position. Address J. B., Box 843, Glassport, Pa. 76-5tp

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